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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JOSHUA BLOUNT,

Defendant.

Case No: 2:24-mj-00043-CSK

**ORDER  
WITHDRAWING THE FEDERAL  
DEFENDER AS COUNSEL,  
APPOINTING AD HOC CJA COUNSEL**

Upon Defendant's motion and consent, good cause appearing, and for consistency of representation,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, effective January 6, 2025, withdrawing the Federal Defender as counsel and appointing Linda Harter as *ad hoc* CJA counsel pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3006A(b) and Eastern District of California's CJA Plan, Gen. Ord. 671, § XI.C.

DATED: January 6, 2025



HON. Sean C. Riordan  
United States Magistrate Judge